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Sketches of Little OLD NEW YORK by M. McIntyre

Telegram Bureau: Rooms 121-125 Hotel Majestic, West seventy-second Street.

NEW YORK, Jan. 21.—The mail man who delivers in the diocese near the old Metropole hotel—scene of the Rosenthal shooting—is the closest watched mail man in the United States today. A group of gentlemen, noticeable for their checkered clothes, screaming cravats and pearl derbies, are anxiously, yea feverishly, awaiting a certain epistle.

It is to come from the office of a young man who is the sole heir to many millions. The rich young man dropped into a smart and exclusive club the other night looking like one of the Brummel boys. He wagered his luck at faro and as the evening wore on his millions were shorn of about \$80,000. He wanted to continue but his pale and clammy companions who were aghast at the loss induced him to leave.

"I'll send you my personal check in the morning," he told the sporting men. "I know that the game was straight. I was simply a bad night for me and if I had won, of course, I would have kept the money. It's all right." Several days have elapsed and the merry mail man swings in sight every morning with nary a sign of a letter.

Clinton B. Smith, Jr., is the first victim of the Leap Year horror. He is a young lawyer and golfer and member of many clubs and also has money in the bank. He sent out an announcement the first of the year which was intended to be jocular but it had a sting in it. It read:

Nineteen sixteen being leap year, Clinton B. Smith, Jr., begs to announce that he is still a bachelor. N. B.—His antique furniture goes with him."

Some how the newspapers heard of the letter and then the storm clouds broke. Smith has already received more than 500 proposals by mail and by phone. Sometimes they call him up in the middle of the night and cowl ask him if he has no engagement for the next day they will drop in and pull off a little wedding. He's off being funny from now on.

Dan Doty was rehearsing a group of brothers for a revue at Bustanoby's the other afternoon. A song called "Mother," touching and popular, was being rendered. Suddenly it was noticed that a little blonde was missing.

"Where's Trixie?" demanded Doty. They found her at a table sobbing with her head on her arms.

"I was mean to my mother," she said, "and the song affected me strangely."

"What did you do?"

"She didn't want me to but I became an actress."

"Brace up little one," said Doty. "You didn't do any such thing."

Force of habit is a terrible thing. Burns Mantle, the critic of the Mail, was visiting a sick friend in a local hospital and saw a sign in one of the corridors that read "Operating Theater." He presented his card to one of the internes and asked if they recognized the profession and, if so, he would like the courtesy of two seats extended.

Miss Felyne Verdist is in our midst modestly seeking a theater all her own. Miss Verdist is Belgium's premiere danseuse and admits it. She is unknown in New York but does not intend to remain so very long.

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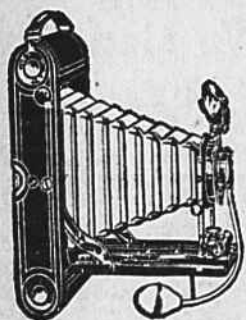


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